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Of heretofore?

When the great winds, thro' leafless forests rushing,
Like full hearts break—
When the swell'a streams o'er crag and gully gushing,
Sad music make,
Will there be one, whose heart despair is crushing,
Mourn for my sake ! When the bright son upon that spot is shining
With purest ray,
And the small flowers their buds and blossoms twin

Burst through the clay, Will there he one still on that spot repining, Lost hopes all day? When no star twinkles with its eye of glory,
On that low mound,
And wintry storms have with their ruins heary
Its loneness crowned,
Will there be then, one versed in misery's story,
Pacing it round 3

It may be so; but this is selfish sorrow, To sak such meed—
A weakness and a wickedness to borrow
From hearts which bleed,
The wailings of to-day for what to-morrow
Shall never need.

Lay me then, gently in my narrow dwelling,
Thou gentle heart;
And the thy bosom should with grief be swelling,
Let no tear start—
It were in vain, for time has long been knelling
Sad one depart!

The following lines from the July number of the Monthly Muscellany of Religion and Letters, are characterised with uncommon excellence and liberality of thought and beauty of expression. TRUTH.

As for the truth it endureth, and is always strong, it

Theories, which thousands cherish, Pass like clouds that sweep the sky, Creeds and dogmas all must perish; Truth herself can never die.

From the glorious heaven above her, She has shed her beams abroad, That the souls who truly love her May become the sons of God.

Worldlings blindly may refuse her, Close their eyes and call it sight; Learned scoffers may abuse her But they connot quench her light.

Thrones may totter, empires crumble, All their glories cease to be; While she, Christlike, crowns the humble,

God himself will e'er defend her From the fury of her foe, Till she in her native splendor, Sits enthroned o'er all below.

> MISCELLANEOUS. BY ESSEC ERBORY.

The outlines of the following sketch were related to me by an aged and honored member of a large family connexion; a man who possesses an almost inexhaustible fund of legendary lore, and whose most interesting anecdotes and comic tales are but recollections of past scenes, of which he can say in the language of Eneas, "quorum magni pars

"Many years ago," said Mr. Ehappened to be one of the referees in a case which excited unusual interest in our courts, from the singular nature of the claim, and the strange story which it disclosed. The plaintiff, who was captain of a merchant ship the West Indies, had married quite early in yesterday, how simultaneously the nurmur life with every prospect of happiness. His wife was said to have been extremely beautiful, and no less lovely in character. After living with her in the most uninterrupted harmony for five years, during which time two daughters were added to his family, he suddenly resolved to resume his occupation, which he had relinquished on his marriage, and when his youngest child was but three weeks old, sailed once more to the West

His wife, who was devotedly attached to him, sorrowed deeply at his absence, and found her only comfort in the society of her children and the hope of his return. But month after month passed sway, and yet he c ame not, nor did any letters-those insuffici ent though welcome substitutes, arrive to cl teer her solitude. Months lengthened into ye ars, yet no tidings were received of the abse at husband; and, after long hoping against ho pe, the unhappy wife was compelled to be-lie ve that he had found a grave in the ocean.

Her sorrow was deep, and heart-felt, but the evils of poverty were now added to her affli ction, and the widow found herself obliged to r esort to some employment, to support her pless children. Her needle was her only resc urce, and for ten years she labored early and late for the miserable pittance, which is ever grudgingly bestowed on the humble

seam stress. A merchant of New York, in moderate but prosp erous circumstances, accidentally be- by the hope of her husband's return? Who came acquainted with her, and pleased with her ge intle manners, no less than her extreme beauty, endeavored to improve their acquaintance with friendship. After som months he offe red her his hand and was accepted.

As the wife of a successful merchant, she soon for and herself in the enjoyment of com-forts and I luxuries such as she had never before por isessed. Her children became his children, and received from him every advantage that wealth and affection could pro-

married, and by their step-tather were furnished w th every comfort, requisite in their new avoc. uion as house-keepers. But they had scarce sly quitted his roof, when their mother was t aken ill. She died after a few days sickness, and from that time until the period of the trial, the widower had resided with the youngest d aughter.

Now cor nes the strangest pert of the story. After an abs sence of thirty years, during which time no tid. ings had been received from him, the first hus band returned as suddenly as he had departe d. He had changed his ship, adopted another name, and spent the whole of that long y eriod of time on the ocean, with

WHOLE NO. 249. only transient visits on shore while taking it or discharging cargo; having been careful Orleans. Why he had acted in this unpardonable manner toward his family no one could tell, and he obstinately refused all explanation. There were strange rumors of slave-trading and piracy affoat, but they were only whispers of conjecture.

Whatever might have been his motives for such conduct, he was certainly any thing but indifferent to his family concerns when he returned. He raved like a mad man when intormed of his wife's second marriage and subsequent death, vowing vengeance upon his successor, and terrifying his daughters by the most awful threats, in case they refused to acknowledge his claims. He had returned wealthy, and one of those mean reptiles of the law who are always to be found infesting the halls of justice, advised him to bring suit against the second husband, assuring him that he could recover heavy damages. The absurdity of instituting a claim for a wife whom death had already released from the jurisdiction of earthly laws was so manifest, that it was at length agreed by all parties to leave the matter to be adjudged by five re-

It was on a bright and beautiful afternoo in spring, that we first met to hear this singular case. The sunlight streaming through the dusty windows of the court room, and shed a halo around the long grey locks and broad forehead of the defendant; while the plaintiff's harsh features were thrown into still bolder relief by the same beam which softened the placid countenance of his adversary. The plaintiff's lawyer made a most eloquent appeal for his client, and had we not been better informed about the matter, our hearts would have melted at his touching description of the return of the desolate hus band, and the agony with which he now be-held his household gods removed to conse-crate a stranger's hearth. The celebrated Aaron Burr was counsel for the defendant, and we anticipated from him a splendid dis play of oratory. I had never before seen him, and shall never forget my surprise at his appearance. Small in person but remarkably well formed, with an eye as quick and brilliant as an eagle's, and a brow furrowed by care more than time, he seemed a very different being from the arch traitor and murderer I had been accustomed to consider him His voice was one of the finest I ever heard, and the skill with which he modulated it, the variety of its tones, and the melody of its cadences were inimitable. But there was one peculiarity about him that reminded me of the depths of darkness which lay beneath that fair surface. You will smile when I tell you that the only thing about him I disliked, was his step. He glided rather than walked; his foot had that quiet, stealthy movement that involuntarily makes one think of treachers.

Burr made no attempt to confute his oppo nent's oratory. He merely opened a book of statutes, and pointing with his thin finger to one of the pages, desired the referees to read it, while he retired for a moment to bring in the principal witness.' We had scarcely finished the section, which fully decided the matter in our minds, when Burr re-entered with a tall and elegant female leaning on his arm. She was attired in a simple white dress, with a wreath of ivy leaves encircling her large straw bonnet, and a lace veil completely concealing her countenance. Burr whispered a few words, apparently encouraging her to advance, and then gracefully raising her veil discovered to us a face of surpassing beauty. which traded principally with England and I recollect as well as if it had happened but

Turning to the plaintiff, Burr asked in cold, quiet tone, 'Do you know this lady ?'

'I do,' was the answer. · Will you swear to that ?' *I will; to the best of my knowledge and belief, she is my daughter.'

'Can you-swear to her indentity?' I can,' said the plaintiff. · What is her age ?' asked Burr. 'She was thirty years of age on the 20th

day of April.' When did you last see her?' At her own house, about a fortnight since, eplied the father.

And when did you last see her previous to that meeting? The plaintiff hesitated—a pause ensued the question was repeated, and the answer at length was, on the fourteenth day of May,

· When she was just three weeks old,' added Burr. 'Gentlemen,' continued he, turning to us, 'I have brought this lady here as an important witness, and such I think she is .-The plaintiff's counsel has plead most eloquently in behalf the bereaved husband, who scaped the dangers of the sea, and returned only to find his home desolate. But who will picture to you the lonely wife bending over her daily toil, devoting her best years to the drudgery of sordid poverty, supported only will paint the slow progress of heart sickness, the wasting anguish of hope deferred, and, finally the overwhelming agony which came upon her when her last hope was extinguished, and she was compelled to believe herself in-deed a widow? Who can depict all this without awakening in your hearts the warmest sympathy for the deserted wife, and the bitterest scorn for the mean, pitiful wretch, who could thus trample on the heart of her whom he had sworn to love and cherish? We need not inquire into his motives for acting so base Fifteen years passed away; the daughters a part. Whether it was of gain, or licentiousness, or selfish indifference, it matters not he is too vile a thing to be judged by such laws as govern men. Let us ask the witness -she who now stands before us with the frank, fearless brow of a true hearted woman—let us ask her which of these two has

been to her a father.' Turning to the lady, in a tone whose sweetness was in strange contrast with the scornful accents that had just characterised his words he besought her to relate briefly the recollections of her early life.

A slight flush passed over her proud and beautiful face, as she replied, 'My first recollections are of a small, ill-

furnished apartment, which my sister and myself shared with my mother. She used to
carry out every Saturday evening the work
which had occupied her during the week, and
bring back employment for the following one.
Saving the wearisome visit to her employer,
and her regular attendance at church, she never left the house. She often spoke of our
father, and of his anticipated return, but at
length she ceased to mention him, though I
observed she used to weep more frequently observed she used to weep more frequently than ever. I then thought she wept because we were so poor, for it sometimes happened that our only supper was a bit of dry bread, and she was accustomed to see by the light of the chips which she kindled to warm her famishing children, because she could not afford to purchase a candle without depriving us of our morning meal. Such was our poverty when my mather contracted a second verty when my mother contracted a second marriage, and the change to us was like a sudden entrance into Paradise. We found a home and a father.' She paused.

'Would you excite my own child against me!' cried the plaintiff as he impatiently waved his hand for her to be silent.

The eyes of the witness flashed fire as she The eyes of the witness flashed fire as she spoke. 'You are not my father,' exclaimed she, vehemently. 'The law may deem you such, but I disclaim you utterly. What! call you my father!—you, who basely left your wife to toil, and your children to beggary? Never! never! Behold there my father,' pointing to the agitated defendant, 'there is the man who watched over my infancy, who was the sharer of childish sports and the guardian of my inexperienced youth. There guardian of my inexperienced youth. There is he who claims my affection and shares my home;—there is MY FATHER. For yonder selfish wretch, I know him not. The best years of his life have been spent in lawless freedom from social ties; let him seek elsewhere for the companions of his decrepitude, nor dare insult the ashes of my mother by claiming the duties of kindred from her de-

She hastily drew her veil over her face, as she ceased speaking, and moved as if to with-

Gentlemen,' said Burr, 'I have no more to say. The words of the law are expressed in the book before you; the voice of truth you have just heard from woman's pure lips; it is for you to decide according to the requisitions of nature and the decrees of justice.'

'I need scarcely to add that our decision was such as to overwhelm the plaintiff with well merited shame.'

LOUIS PHILLIPPE'S LAST INTERVIEW WITH TALLEYRAND.

Talleyrand was scarcely lifted from his reclining position and seated on the edge of the bed, when punctual as the hand upon the dial, his Majesty, followed by Madame Adelaide, entered the spartment. It was a study both for the moralist and the painter, to observe the contrast between these two individuals, as seated thus side by side, beneath the canopy of those old green curtains; they seemed grouped as for the composition of some histo-rical picture. It was startling to turn from the broad, expansive forehead; the calm and stoic brow, and the long and shaggy locks which overshadowed it, giving to the guze upon the pointed crown, well arranged loupee, the whole outward bearing, tant, soit peu bourgeois of the King, who, even at this

early hour of the morning, was attired, according to his custom, with the utmost precision

and primness. Despite of the old faded dressing gown of the one and the snuff colored coat, stiff neck-cloth and polished boots of the other, the veriest barbarian could have told at a glance which was the "last of the nobles," and which the "first citizen" of the empire. His Maesty was the first to break silence, as in etiquette bound to do. It would be difficult to define the expression which passed across his features as he contemplated what might be called the setting of his guiding star. Perhaps he could not himself have rendered an account of the next impression which the scene produced on the mind. "I am sorry, prince, to see you suffering so much," said he, in a low tremulous voice, rendered almost inaudible by the extreme emotion. "Sire, you have come to witness the sufferings of a dying man; and those who love him can have but one wish, that of seeing them shortly at an end." This was uttered in that deep, strong voice, so peculiar to himself and which age had not had the power to quench, nor the approach of death itself been able to weaken. The effect of the peech, short as it was preceded, and the tone of reproach, calm and bitter, in which it was conveyed, produced an impression which will tot be soon forgotten by those who were preent .- United Service Journal.

Outrage.—Negro Sam, the property of Mr. Wilson, of Trigg county, Kentucky, has been tried, found guilty, and received sentence of death during the present term of the Christian circuit court, for violence upon the person of a Mrs. Hill, of this county. But few instances can be found in the history of crime, of a wretch-so daring and persevering in villanous efforts, as this negro has been. About one o'clock at night, during the last days of April, Mrs. Hill, a poor woman, whose family, consisted of a little brother, nine or ten years o'ld, and a small child or two of her own, was roused from her sleep by a noise in her room. She discovered that some person was in the room, and called upon the intruder to state his object. The negro replied in a manner that left her no grounds to doubt of her perilous situation. In the same moment she ordered the negro to withdraw, and directed her little brother to light a candle. The negro threatened the boy with death if he struck a light, and immediately proceeded to the bed of Mrs. Hill, and being a large and powerful man, he easily accomplished his disbolical purpose upon the agonizing and resisting woman, who is of a weak and delicate frame. The negro then left the house, when the unhappy woman barred the door, hoping to escape further injury. In a short time, however, the wretch returned and directed her to open the door. She begged him to injury. In a short time, however, the weeter and directed her to open the door. She begged him to depart. He refused to do so, and proceeding to force the door, when she escaped from the house by some other outlet than that which the negro guarded. He however discovered her, from the glare of vivid streams have were flashing through the sky, and of lightning which were flashing through the sky, and instantly pursued her, caught her, and forced her to an of lightning which were tashing through the say, and instantly pursued her, caught her, and forced her to an outhouse, from which place the poor woman was not released till morning, and perhaps only saved her hie by telling the negro that she did not know him. Early in the morning she detailed the events of the night to a neighbor, whose house she sought. The villain was neighbor, whose house she sought. The villain was nimediately chased, caught, and lodged in jail, from which he broke in a few days, and shifted his haunts to another neighborhood, fifteen or twenty miles from the another neighborhood, fifteen or twenty miles from the scene of his crime. After being at liberty a few days, he went to the house of a man by the name of Deason, and informed him that his (Deason's) mother, who lives at some considerable distance from Deason's was very at some considerable distance from Deason's was very at some considerable distance from Deason's was very sick and desired to see him. The credulous man startistic and desired to see him. The credulous man startistic and desired to see him. The credulous man startistic from the starting of the followed and caught her. Mrs. Deason being a large and strong woman, resisted this sop being a large and strong woman, resisted from fied. The villain followed and caught her. Min. bear son being a large and strong woman, resisted this modern Pluto long, with a hope of saving herself from the untimely purpose of her assistant; but she was finally overpowered, when the fellow left her. He was, however, quickly secured, and now awaits his doom. He is to be hanged the 7th June.—Hopkinsville Gaz.

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